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In re the application of: Derek Ian Joseph Hopkins

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REQUEST FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicant requests a three-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 15, 2002.

In lieu of a Response Appeal Brief, Applicant has filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Application based on the above referenced application on even date.

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